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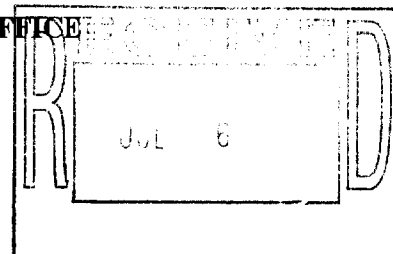
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(37 C.F.R. § 3.21 and 37 C.F.R. § 3.31(a)(4))

1. This assignment is for the following patent application and/or issued patent:

- a. National Patent:
 - Inventor: Graham Coates
 - Patent No.: 5,244,454
 - Issued on: September 14, 1993

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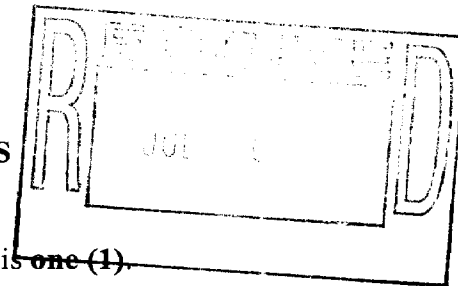
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**TOTAL NUMBER OF APPLICATIONS AND/OR PATENTS
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2. A. The total number of applications and/or patents identified in this cover sheet is one (1).
- B. The total fee is (37 C.F.R. § 1.21(h)):
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- C. Payment of fee is made by the attached check for \$40.00, check no. 3735 .

**NAME OF PARTY CONVEYING INTEREST
(37 C.F.R. § 3.31(a)(1))**

3. The party conveying interest is:
Graham Coates
P. O. Box 624
Albany, Georgia 31702
USA

**NAME AND ADDRESS OF PARTY(IES) RECEIVING INTEREST
(37 C.F.R. § 3.31 (a)(2))**

4. The rights are being conveyed to:
Dorea Medical, L.L.C.
405 West Society Avenue
Albany, Georgia 31701
USA

**DESCRIPTION OF INTEREST CONVEYED OR
TRANSACTION RECORDED (37 C.F.R. § 3.31(a)(3))**

5. The accompanying document intends to accomplish an assignment.

**NAME AND ADDRESS OF PARTY TO WHOM
CORRESPONDENCE SHOULD BE MAILED (37 C.F.R. § 3.31 (a)(5))**

6. Please address correspondence to:

Name: James A. Hinkle, Esquire
Address: HINKLE & ASSOCIATES, P.C.
395 Scenic Highway
Lawrenceville, Georgia 30045
Telephone No.: (770) 995-8877

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**DATE ASSIGNMENT (DOCUMENT) EXECUTED
(37 C.F.R. § 3.31(a)(7))**

7. The attached assignment (document) was executed on June 11, 1999.

LANGUAGE OF ASSIGNMENT (DOCUMENT) TO BE RECORDED

8. The attached document is in the English language.

ORIGINAL DOCUMENT OR TRUE COPY SUBMITTED

9. Submitted herewith is the original document.

**STATEMENT (37 C.F.R. § 3.31(a)(9)) AND
SIGNATURE (37 C.F.R. § 3.31(a)(10))**

10. To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.


SIGNATURE OF PRACTITIONER

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11. The total number of pages being submitted, **including documents** are **six (6)**.

ASSIGNMENT OF PATENT

WHEREAS, I, Graham Coates of P. O. Box 624, Albany, Georgia 31702 (hereinafter referred to as "Patentee") did obtain a United States Patent for an improvement in a Device For Assisting And Maintaining Penile Erection" identified as Patent No. 5,244,454, dated September 14, 1993; and whereas I am now the sole owner of said patent, and

WHEREAS, Dorea Medical, L.L.C., a Georgia Corporation, located at 405 West Society Avenue, Albany, Georgia 31701 (hereinafter referred to as "Assignee") is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in the same;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt whereof is acknowledged, I, the Patentee, by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto said Assignee the entire right, title and interest in and to the said Patent aforesaid; the same to be held and enjoyed by the said Assignee for his own use and behoof, and for his/her legal representatives and assigns, to the full end of the term for which said Patent is granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by me had this assignment and sale not been made.

EXECUTED this 11th day of June, 1999, at Albany, Georgia.

Graham Coates
Graham Coates

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COUNTY OF DOUGHERTY

Before me personally appeared Graham Coates and acknowledged the foregoing instrument to be his free act and deed this 11 day of June, 1999.

Martina Lubrano
Notary Public

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MY COMMISSION EXPIRES FEB. 3, 2003